

Bulldogs Lose on the Road

By Judy Rogers

The Golden Plains Bulldogs lost a game on the road to the Rawlins County Buffaloes 71-27 in Atwood on February 14.

The Buffaloes completely controlled the first quarter of the game as they just couldn't miss and hit nearly every shot they put up. With many of these baskets coming from behind the arc, they pushed their way to a 32-0 lead playing the full court press at a high rate of speed. The Bulldogs finally scored two free throws from Dawson Spresser near the end of the quarter to go into the second trailing 32-2.

"Their press gave us trouble in the first quarter," said Brett Gerbitz. "We weren't taking our time to set up our offense. We played better in the second."

The Bulldogs were determined and worked hard to overcome this early deficit. The Buffaloes extended their lead to 27 points before Brett Gerbitz hit a couple of shots for the Bulldogs. By working together as a team, the Bulldogs were able to add 11 points in the second. The Buffaloes added 20 to lead 52-13 at half time.

The Bulldogs continued to play their game as best they could in the second half. They added 9 in the second and 6 in the fourth as the Buffaloes held on to extend their lead for the 71-27 win.

Nick Brown led the Bulldogs with 8 points along with 7 from Brett Gerbitz. Dawson Spresser added 4, Austin Patmon 2, Devin Carter 4, and Nolan Ritter 2. The 'Dogs will be on the road again on Friday, February 17, as they travel to Palco.